

Future of MDL

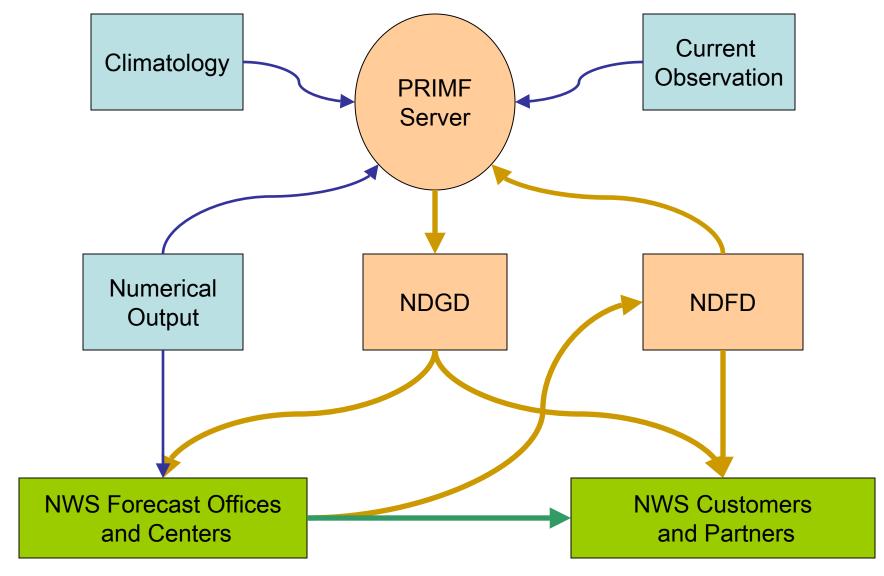


- 1. Phase out software as an external MDL product line
- 2. Establish MDL as world leader in the Probabilistic Real-time Interpretation of Models and Forecasts
- 3. Make MDL interpretative products available in database that provides interoperability with NDFD.



PRIMF Digital Flow







PRIMF Components



- High-resolution MOS and updates to MOS (i.e., LAMP)
- Statistical interpretation of NDFD highlighting forecast uncertainty
- Real-time forecast monitoring and feedback
- Probabilistic coastal hazards
- Verification of NDFD and NDGD



Call to Action #1: High-resolution MOS



- Implement gridded MOS for elements in the NDFD
- Provide MOS ensemble guidance products



Call to Action #2: NDGD Development



- Prototype methods to determine forecast uncertainty by comparing NDFD to:
 - Model ensemble spread
 - Categorical MOS probabilities
 - Station/gridpoint climatology
- Post MDL interpretative products experimentally



Call to Action #3: Coastal Hazards



- Develop and bring probabilistic surge forecasts into operations
- Enhance surge/wave modeling, emphasizing coastal impact



Call to Action #4 NDFD Verification



- Provide verification results for all NDFD elements
- Conduct NDFD verification on a grid per emerging National Verification Plan.